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For: METHOD FOR IMPROVING FERTILITY OF
HYBRID PLANTS COMPRISING PLACING
FERTILITY RESTORTER GENES INTO
MULTIPLE GENE LOCI

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CORRECTION TO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Applicants note that a typographical error occurred in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on December 14, 2007. Specifically, "additional information" provided in item III.d. contained an incorrect WO publication number. Please see the correction as set forth below.

III. **CONCISE EXPLANATION OF THE RELEVANCE**

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☒ d. **OTHER** - The following additional information is provided for the Examiner's consideration. U.S. 2006/0253931 A1 corresponds to ~~WO 02/027290 A1~~ **WO 03/027290 A1**, which was cited in the IDS filed on December 15, 2005. U.S. 2006/0179517 A1 corresponds to WO 2004/005515 A1, which was cited in the IDS filed on December 15, 2005. U.S. 2005/0048482 A1 corresponds to WO 02/14506 A1, which was also cited in the IDS filed on December 15, 2005. Copies of each of the references cited in the December 15,

2005, IDS are submitted herewith. An English abstract or translation is also provided for each non-English reference.

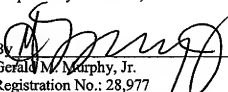
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